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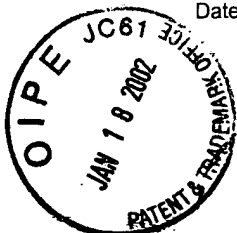
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**PATENT**  
**Docket No. GC626-3**



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of	)	
Naki et al.	)	Group Art Unit: 1635
Serial No. 09/932,279	)	Examiner: Not Assigned
Filed: August 17, 2001	)	
For: Detecting Polymers and Polymer	)	
Fragments	)	

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

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Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

The following extension of time is requested to respond to the Notice to File  
Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application dated September 24, 2001:

one month to December 24, 2001; the extension fee is \$110.00.  
two months to \_\_\_\_\_; the extension fee is \$400.00.  
three months to \_\_\_\_\_; the extension fee is \$920.00.  
four months to \_\_\_\_\_; the extension fee is \$1,440.00.  
five months to \_\_\_\_\_; the extension fee is \$1,960.00.

The extended time for response does not exceed the statutory period.

☐ The shortened statutory period has been reset by an Advisory Action  
dated \_\_\_\_\_.

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Respectfully submitted,

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